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## FROM CALIFORNIA.

## SINGULAR RITES OF CHINESE.

A Millionaire Chinaman and How He Was Laid Away for His Long Rest.

DEAR EDITOR: "The funeral of Chin Yon will take place in front of the store of deceased on Grant Avenue at 11 o'clock this morning," read an item in the San Francisco Chronicle. Chin Yon was one of the big Chinese merchants of the Bay City. He was reported to be worth more than a million dollars. And so this will explain why I was promptly engaged at the place named at the appointed hour to observe the obsequies.

When within a block of the place I could hear the shrill piping of the piccolo and the harsh rattle of the cymbals. These instruments seem to be indispensable at all funerals and theatres. Upon arriving at the business house the street was blacked with onlookers, who had come out of curiosity to witness this strange sight.

A temporary platform 6x12 feet had been erected at the edge of the walk, and over the gutter. It had a canopy top of muslin stretched from 4 posts. Upon this platform was every imaginable Chinese dish. Two dressed hogs, two roasted hogs, hogs heads roasted, boiled rice in bowls decorated with colored sugars, tarts with a rice surrounding, fried chickens with heads and feet on, fruit, fritters, cake, vegetable, etc. Probably there were 1,200 pounds of food on the platform, cooked and uncooked—enough to put a man through the Klondyke a full year. At one end of the platform in the gutter was the remains of a millionaire Chin Yon in a plain black casket—at the other end in the gutter were the wife and child, and half a dozen hired mourners. They were on their knees, some tea matting having been thrown on the cobblestones, and were bowing so low that their foreheads touched the ground. The wife looked or appeared to be attired in a gauzy pink, while these hired to help out the ceremony had a garb which resembled pillow cases drawn over the head and shoulders and well around their forms. Not a tear was shed as far as I could see. The master of ceremonies stood at the head of the platform and kept up for a solid hour an ear splitting piping on the piccolo. It was a cadaverous individual, gaunt, sallow, all bones, and had a voice that was a cross between a steamboat whistle and an Indian war whoop. Beside him was a strong Chinese boy, who brought the cymbals together with a crash that was deafening. At the end of the platform near where the mourners were located stood the punk tender and the tea turner. A dozen bunches of punk had been stuck in the ground and were smoking like Vesuvius. When they got hot, half a dozen bunches would be brought lighted, stuck in the ground, and then everything progressed satisfactorily. Once in a while the cadaverous man would heave a long sigh and take a rest. But no sooner would he stop than the mourners and the punk tender would enter into a spirited discussion, rising to their feet in a very demonstrative manner, baring onto hostility, when the old man would grab his instrument and begin to blow and the big boy would again attempt to crack the cymbals, when the broken hearted wife and hired mourners could drop upon their knees again, and courtesy continuously while the clouds of smoke raised from the burning punk. As often as every two or three minutes the punk tender would pour out several very small cups of tea then turn it upon the ground near where the mourners were kneeling, and meanwhile the "music" went on continuously. The street was packed that it was impossible for foot passengers or teams to get along. Police men were holding back the crush as well as they could, without interfering with the obsequies, and only one fight ensued in an hour.

Finally the mourners arose, the wi-

dy and her child were led around the casket three times very slowly, when the ceremony was declared finished. The casket was put in the hearse and the mourners were lifted into the rear end of an old delivery wagon without a seat, except the one the driver occupied, and a long line of carriages followed, each one being occupied by four Chinamen, whose names were inscribed in Chinese on the glass doors. As soon as the procession had moved two Chinamen jumped upon the platform, gathering up the pork, cakes, fruit and rice and dumped the whole mass into a box, and within fifteen minutes the platform was removed, and most of the food prepared for the dead had been taken by the living.

I did not attend the burial of the deceased. But the ceremony at the grave is similar to that described here in, and some of the food on the platform is deposited on his grave to enable the corpse to cross the dark river without suffering the pangs of hunger.

With this ends the series of Calliope letters. I have aimed in these letters to give such facts, relate such incidents and record events seen and heard on this journey of seven hundred miles through California by carriage as would give the reader fair idea of the country, its people, its topography, climate and products. I have not been prejudiced for nor against the state, but have written as a stranger in a strange land, and hope those who have read have gained some information.

## NO LIFE

Is Visible on the Moon Through the Yerkes Glass.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 24.—Neither water, nor air, nor vegetation, nor evidence of life in any form can be seen on the moon through the most powerful telescope ever constructed. The great Yerkes telescope has been trained upon the lunar sphere by two of the best known astronomers of this country, at a time when the scientists of Paris were greatly agitated over the discovery of what were believed to be indications of rivers and plants upon the moon.

It was the good fortune of F. L. O. Wadsworth, one of the observatory staff, to get the first glimpse of the moon through the Yerkes telescope. E. E. Barnard was the next member of the staff to gaze at the far away planet, and the conclusions of these two learned gentlemen are identical in that they agree that neither discovered anything of importance. The peculiar lines and spots noticed by the Parisian astronomers on the map of the lunar hemisphere that is being photographed in the Meudon Observatory were not to be seen through the Yerkes telescope.

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## TO MOVE.

Indians Now Negotiating with Mexico—Secretary Ivey Says that a Deal Is On.

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"I have the plans and details, but can not give them out. There are Cherokee and Choctaw representatives in Mexico now. This country is dear to our people. They bought and paid for it. They bought and paid for it. The United States piedged its solemn vow that it should be the home of our people for all time, but the Anglo Saxon greed is asserting itself."

"If we are forced to give up our lands and government, you may be sure that we will place no further dependence in anything that the United States may agree to do, but we will place ourselves under the protection of a government that has some regard for its treaty promises. Communication is going on among our people and the Mexican Government and the prospect that we shall reach a satisfactory agreement is good. Our intention is to arrange to have an independent State in Mexico, a

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Witch Hazel and Glycerine Jelly.

## IN CASE OF WAR.

How Uncle Sam Would Equip His Army and Navy—Various Arsenals and Factories.

When the papers are filled with accounts of disputes of this country with foreign powers over the independence of Cuba, the protection of the oil and the Venezuelan boundary the sober minded citizen asks the question, "How would the government prepare itself to carry on the conflict if war should be declared?"

In the first place our army is poorly organized. The total number of regular soldiers is limited to 25,000. The number of thoroughly trained officers is large in proportion to the number of privates. For this reason the army could in a very short space of time be increased to many times its normal size and still be under perfect control. The total number of men available for carrying arms is estimated at twelve millions, and no nation of the world has ever been made up of a people of such versatility as ours. They naturally adapt themselves to meet all emergencies, and to overcome all obstacles.

The question of the equipment of a large army is one that naturally has occupied the attention of the War Department, and scattered over the country are numerous establishments, each equipped for doing its own particular part in the general plan.

In the first place at the Westervelt Arsenal, near Troy, New York, the government has a finely equipped plant for the manufacture of the largest coast defense cannon and mortars.

It has turned out 12 inch mortars in large numbers and now has under construction a cannon designed to

throw shell 16 inches in diameter, and weighing more than a ton.

The factory can easily turn out 40 large coast defense and fifty heavy field guns a year. At this arsenal the guns are put together, the separate tubes, jackets, etc., being furnished by the Bethlehem Iron Works and by the Carnegie Company.

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## THE ELEPHANT

Was First Prodded with Pitchforks and then Burned.

Gretschburg, N. C., Oct. 23.—Syd is the big elephant belonging to Robinson and Franklin Brothers circus. He became enraged and when keeper Smith went to quiet him he was hit twenty feet through the air. Master of Animals Jinks rushed up and was instantly hurled to the ground by the elephant, but was hauled away.

Syd has killed two men without being punished, and the master of animals decided that he must be conquered. Accompanied by another elephant Syd was led into a thicket of pine. Here his front feet were bound with heavy chains, to two trees and his hind paws shackled. Then a block and tackle carrying a two inch rope was fastened to his feet and to another tree and thirty men caught hold of the rope and began to pull.

With a scream of rage and pain the elephant plunged forward, and the rope snapped like thread. Again the rope was made fast and again, as the men pulled on it, the animal plunged forward snapping the hook short off.

Finally he was securely fastened, and the men fell upon him with spike pitchforks and clubs. The elephant screamed and lunged while the men beat and prodded him.

Directly in front of the elephant was a tree a foot in diameter. Putting his forehead against this he swayed it back and forth like a bush. Suddenly with one stroke of his trunk, he swept it clear of limbs as high as he could reach. With one limb held in his trunk he struck fiercely right and left, and then his tormentors scattered pell-mell to get out of his reach.

One man ventured too near, and with a single push the elephant threw him a dozen feet away, where he lay stunned. Two others were treated in the same manner.

After the men had labored him until they were exhausted, the elephant was still unconquered. Then they brought straw and piled it under him and fired it. As the flames rose the suffering beast screamed and struggled and caught quantities of dirt and threw it on his back, in an effort to protect himself against the fire. Three times the straw was rearranged and the flames curled about his body, but still he would not give up. Finally the tough hide began to loosen from the sides, until it hung in sheets three feet square, exposing the smooth, white flesh. Owing to the struggles of the poor animal the chains which held him had cut into the tree twice or three inches.

But the elephant remained unconquered and the attempt to subdue him had to be abandoned.

Then the master of the animals had a tent erected around him and gallons of vaseline were applied to his scorched and burned sides. It is said that he will be killed if he ever attacks a man again.

Keeper Smith will recover.

Hundreds of townspeople looked on at the horrible spectacle.

## Morgan's Saw Dust.

The devil loves a lying politician. Envied idleness is a national crime.

Ridicule is one of the devil's crowbars.

When elections are fought the people are sold.

The end of patience is the beginning of revolution.

War is the rich man's opportunity to make money.

This kind of prosperity is worse than 50 cent dollars.

Our civilization is but little more than refined barbarity.

He whose life is helpful to others has not lived in vain.

If this is "good times" give us an article of a different brand.

The government is in the hand of rich rascals elected by poor fools.

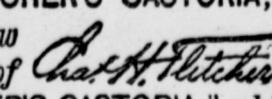
There are more people trying to get an office than are trying to get heaven.

The world can use our back yard for a "dumping ground" for all the silver it cares to dump.—The Buzz Saw.

A one hundred dollar premium and a wagon scale offered at the Illinois State Fair for the largest yield of corn from one acre of ground, brought out some surprisingly large yields. The largest was one hundred and sixty six bushels, the second, one hundred and sixty six bushels, and the third largest one hundred and fifty bushels.

## AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of  on every one of the packages of our product. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought on every one of the packages. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

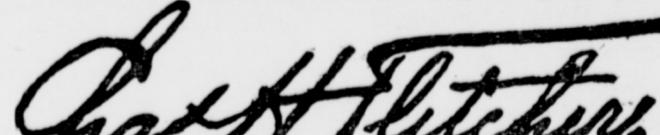
March 8, 1897.

## Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggists may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

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Grand Council of Ky., R. and S. M.

Covington, Oct. 20, 1897.

Be it known that at the Annual As-

ssembly of the Grand Council of Ken-

tucky, Royal and Select Masters, held

at Louisville on Oct. 18, 1897, the

following grand officers were duly elec-

ted and installed:

Comp. Frank Hollinshead, Louis-

# The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.  
ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Yellow fever has reached Memphis.  
Wheat took a little spurt last week  
but began dropping back Monday.

In a wreck on the New York Central railroad Sunday twenty people were killed.

Great New York has 562,000 registered voters. About twice the number in Kentucky.

In Jessamine county the riggers have put out an independent ticket, for the various county offices.

In LaRue county George Ford aged 77, married Ida Huston aged 18. The groom had been married six times.

Free silver may be dead; if so, the funeral procession is one of the biggest and liveliest things of the age.

The Democratic Editorial Association of Illinois, in session at Chicago go last week, endorsed the Chicago platform and declared that silver was now and would be the issue in 1900.

International bimetallism is on its last legs. The reply of England to the United States Commissioners practically does away with any hope of ever doing anything for silver if we are to wait until England helps.

Dr. Hunter, Senator Deboe, and Baily, the candidate for clerk of the Court of Appeals, began a tour of the State yesterday on a special train to make speeches for the gold standard.

The people have already paid more than \$4,000,000,000, interest and principal, on the bonded debt of the country, and the balance due will buy, on an average, as much of the products of labor as the original debt would at the time it was contracted. If made payable in gold, as the goldbugs demand, it will be a quarter of a century yet before the debt is paid, and in the meantime the tax payers may continue to "plank down" a mead of their earnings to keep the interest paid up. It is an exceedingly fat thing for those who have the bonds.

The latest news touching the Cuban war indicates that the crisis may be reached pretty soon, and that the United States will have to take a decided stand one way or the other. A New York paper says:

"Of the greatest importance is the news that the Spanish Cabinet has determined to strengthen its naval force in Cuban waters and if any more filibustering expeditions are organized in the United States, to search any American vessel on the high seas which the Spanish cruisers may consider suspicious. This action, actually taken, would mean war."

## Then and Now.

The presence of Gen. S. B. Buckner in the county Monday recalled to the minds of hundreds of people the occasion when he addressed the people here July 23, 1891. He was accompanied by Maj. Mat Adams, and the two addressed one of the largest audiences ever assembled in the county to hear a political speech.

Gen. Buckner's term as governor was then drawing to a close, and he was touring the State in behalf of the Democratic ticket and platform. The platform of the Democracy of the State adopted that year, and upon which Gen. Buckner was standing and urging the election of Hon. John Young Brown, had the following plank:

"Recognizing the fact that the United States is the greatest silver producing country in the world, and that both gold and silver were equally the money of the constitution, from the beginning of the Republic to the hostile and fraudulent legislation of the Republican party against silver, which unduly contracted the circulating medium of the country, and feeling that the great interests of the people demanded more money for use in the channels of trade and commerce, we tender our gratitude to the Democrats in the last Congress for their almost unanimous votes in both houses in favor of the free coinage of silver, and demand its restoration to the position of equality before the law, given to it by our fathers."

Gov. Buckner opened his speech in defense of this platform, according to the report made in the PRESS of July 30, 1891, as follows:

"He read an extract from a speech Mr. Lincoln made after the war, in which that great man said that corporations had been enthroned by reason of war; wealth concentrated, and that he trembled for this country and felt that it was in more danger than even in time of war. 'Had that great man,' said Gen. Buckner, 'been inspired with power from on high, he could not have better depicted the future of his country. The corporations were enthroned, and the money power was concentrated. In New York 70 men

were worth two thousand seven hundred million dollars, an average of \$37,000,000. In Pittsburg there were 67 millionaires, in Cleveland 63, in Boston 50. These dazzling fortunes had been accumulated by class legislation of the Republican party."

This was the platform and this the theme of Gen. Buckner's speech then. Now he stands on a single gold standard platform, and states that he occupies the old Democratic homestead, and it is useless to state that he did not talk of the "concentrated" money power, nor did he lift his voice against the "corporations enthroned." Then he said the evils had come upon the country through the "class legislation of the Republican party." Now he stands "cheek by jowl" with that party.

Gov. Buckner's speaking mate Monday advocated the gold standard, and is upholding the bond buyers, the bond sellers and the bond speculators, in 1891 in the opera house at Marion Maj. Adams was Gen. Buckner's speaking mate. He opened his speech, as reported by the PRESS, of that date, as follows:

"Sticking to the records for his profit he made a strong indictment of the party in power for its paternalism towards the bondholders, in making the bonds purchased in greenbacks payable in gold, taxing the people to enrich the bondholders, making the people give \$1.30 of their money for \$1.00 of the bondholder's money; \$1300 of the people's and soldiers' money worth only \$1000 of the bondholders money. The government has not a dollar that it does not collect from the people, every cent of premium these bondholders got, by act of Congress, came from the pockets of the people."

Comment is unnecessary. The Buckner of 1891 is not the Buckner of 1897. Then he was with the people, now he is with the class that he then denominated "the concentrated money power."

## Gold and Silver.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

If it is the right of any person having a claim on the treasury of the United States to be paid in gold coin, then it is the right of the treasury to be paid in gold by all persons upon whom it has claims.

If it is repudiation to redeem the greenbacks at the treasury in silver, it is repudiation at the banks to pay checks at the bank in silver certificates.

If the silver dollar is a 50 cent dollar then the workingmen of the United States are being cheated by their employers out of half the wages that were agreed upon.

The law of the United States makes standard silver dollars a legal tender for unlimited amounts, in payment of all debts, public and private. A greenback is a public debt, therefore payable in silver. The same is true of United States bonds and interests, coupons.

There is now \$140,000,000 of gold in the United States treasury which John G. Carlisle, by order of Grover Cleveland, and in gross violation of law, bought at an average premium of twelve percent. It ought not to be surrendered to foreign bankers for export. When they want coin for redemption give them silver. This will enable Mr. Gage to avoid the impeachable violations of law of which his predecessor was guilty.

Redemption in gold in preference to silver is dishonest whenever it costs a penny extra.

The assertion that any man is entitled to gold instead of silver at the treasury for any purpose whatever, is a falsehood, and when uttered by those who administer the laws and are therefore bound to read them, it is a palpable falsehood.

As a conclusion from the foregoing it follows that the United States is a double standard country to the extent of the \$430,000,000 of silver dollars in existence, and the silver bullion now in the treasury represented by \$160,000,000 of coin notes issued for its purchase and the remaining silver bullion being its seigniorage on the same. This, too, notwithstanding the fact that as to all treasury operations it was made a gold standard country by executive usurpation.

What is it to be made under Mr. Kinley?

This question will have to be answered soon if gold goes out at the rate of \$5,000,000 a week, the sum exported last week.

## Educational.

ED. PRESS: We know that space in your valuable paper is precious, but we wish to offer a report of our educational association which met at Irma, Oct. 22, 7 p.m. The following teachers were present:

Mrs. Wallace C. Franklin, R. M. Allen, T. A. Perry, E. S. Moore, C. B. Hines, and Misses Alice Griffith, Mamie Franks, Maggie Franks, and Mrs. Lillie Flanary.

The exercises consisted of papers, recitations and talks. Besides these excellent recitations were given by Misses Mamie Boyd and Maud Lear, of Irma.

The meeting was a success, being very interesting and instructive to those present. Our next meeting will be held at Forest Grove, Nov. 12.

Maggie Franks, Secy.



ELI PERKINS

at the Opera House, Marion, Ky., Nov. 3.

Cardin—Brown.

On the 13th of October, 1897, just at the close of twilight, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. R. B. Brown of Salem, Mr. R. C. Cardin and Miss Sallie Brown were happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. Bogges, in his happy style, officiating.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. R. B. Brown, a prominent citizen of Salem, she was arrayed in spotless white and the shimmering folds of her ribbon and snowy lace enhanced her loveliness, if that were possible. In her hand she carried a beautiful bunch of Bride roses, and her hair was tastefully adorned with buds of the same.

The bride is a lady of sweet disposition and rare womanly qualities, and is loved and admired by a host of friends. The attendants were Messrs. Jesse Cardin and Richard Critchlow, Miss Alma Hodge and Miss Ada Linley. The bridesmaids were dressed in white, and they were as fair visions of loveliness as one could see in a lifetime. The handsome faces and manly forms of the grooms did not detract from the dignity of the occasion. The parlor was beautifully decorated with evergreens and other beauties of autumn.

The happy groom was dressed in conventional black. He is an intelligent young man of sterling business qualities, and is highly esteemed by all who know him.

After the ceremony an elegant luncheon was served, which was enjoyed by all who partook of it. Many valuable presents were received, both useful and ornamental: a large number of guests were present.

On the following day a reception was held at the residence of the father of the groom, Mr. W. H. Cardin, where a most bountiful dinner was served; the table groaned beneath the weight of its delicious viands and luxuries which were artistically spread before a large number of relatives and friends, and was immensely enjoyed by all.

The writer, with a host of friends, wishes them unalloyed happiness and prosperity down the untired path of life.

A Friend.

Two chronic loafers of Lebanon, Ky., named Thomas Hutt and Wm. Reed, were convicted of vagrancy at the last term of circuit court, and it was ordered that they should be required to work, in accordance with law.

On Monday sheriff Young posted bills announcing that he will, on November 1, at the court house door in Lebanon, sell the services of Thomas Hutt for nine months and the labor of Wm. Reed for three months, to the highest bidder, says the Falcon.

Under the laws of Kentucky these men will have to do some work for a time at least, and there are more to follow.

It is nearly twenty years since the law regarding vagrants was enforced in Lebanon, but the officers are now determined to make the combination known as voluntary indolence and want very unpopular in this city.

## Ollie James at Smithland.

Smithland, Ky., Oct. 23.—The day will never come when the true Democrats of old Livingston county will forget the great speech made by Ollie James here today. Buckner and Baker were here and after a hard struggle they agreed to let Ollie follow Baker, Buckner following Ollie. Never were two men as completely routed before as were these goldstandardites by the gifted young man from Crittenden. He treated them courteously; but he did not leave one of the arguments standing; he took their own campaign book and showed that the Democratic party had always stood by the two great money metals; he showed that Gen. Buckner was in the State convention of 1891, when a free silver plank was adopted, and afterward made speeches over the State standing on that platform. Ollie received an ovation, and his great speech is being discussed all over the county and the free silver boys are happy over that day's work.

Heads of Booker Gilbert to Alia Hughes, deed of gift.

J. C. Wallace to Samuel Raley 90 acres for \$1500.

R. T. Bolt to R. H. Belmeir, 67 acres for \$575.

The Louisville Post has offered a reward of \$100 if the Sinking Fund Commissioners could show they have not lost \$50,000 in the past four months in the operation of the penitentiaries. The reward stands until

then.

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# The Birdsell Wagons

SOLD BY J. P. PIERCE,

Has a guaranteed capacity as follows,

Birdsell 2 1/2, capacity, 2000lbs; other wagons 2 1/2, capacity, 1500lbs  
Birdsell 2 1/2, capacity, 3000lbs; other wagons 2 1/2, capacity, 2000lbs  
Birdsell 3 in, capacity, 4000lbs; other wagons 3 in, capacity, 2500lbs  
Birdsell 3 1/2, capacity, 5000lbs; other wagons 3 1/2, capacity, 3500lbs  
Birdsell 3 1/2, capacity, 6000lbs; other wagons 3 1/2, capacity, 4000lbs

These wagons are kept in stock and sold by J. P. PIERCE, and it will surely pay you to buy them.

# CASH For all.. kinds of PRODUCE.

## H. KOLTINSKY.

### THE FIRST THANKSGIVING DINNER.

Indiana Chiefs Were Hospitably Entertained by Pilgrim Fathers.

### LEVIAS.

FREDONIA.

Some chills and fever, with an occasional case of diphtheria in this section.

Farmers say since they have been gathering that corn is at least 30 per cent below the average in this neighborhood.

Born to the wife of Clarence Stephens on the 20th, a boy.

Last Saturday evening, while coming to the ball ground in a road cart John Harpenden and Will Brown narrowly escaped serious injury by their horse becoming unmanageable, and running away. They were both thrown from the cart and were unconscious when picked up by friends.

Thomas Moore, of Princeton, was in town Saturday.

D. P. Gleon, of Lyon county, was in town Friday; he will make his future home at Crayeville, Crittenden county.

R. L. Wiggin and family were visiting in the country last week.

Jasper Franklin, E. L. Franklin, T. Settles and Joe Davidson composed a fishing party from this place Saturday, and reported over a hundred pound catch.

Under the guidance of our teacher Union has a debating society, which is bringing out some very good local talent.

"Play ball" election day; every body invited. A good time for either Hampton or Kezey to play the return game.

Mr. Hughes, of Kansas, who has been visiting here, returned home Monday.

### NEW SALE.

Miss Clarie Wolford and a child of Dave Wolford were on the sick list this week.

The wheat crop is all sown; there is about 75 per cent of the crop being sown on corn stubble. Some few fields that were sown in September is coming up.

Corn gathering is in full blast and the crop is about 75 per cent of full crop. Some little selling at 25 to 30 cents per bushel.

Buy your groceries of Bugg & Loyd.

We have a full stock of everything for winter wear, and will not be undersold on same quality of goods.

Pitts Beavers has had a large stock barn built where the old one was burned.

W. J. Rice has a metal roof on his dwelling, which makes the insurance cheaper.

Mrs. James Gilliland, of Donaldson, was visiting B. F. Smith's family last Saturday and Sunday.

It is rumored that W. H. Ordway, of Crayeville will move to town; he owns a dwelling and store house here and perhaps could not do better than to occupy them.

Mr. Maxwell and family were visiting S. Guess and family, of Crider, last Sunday.

Buy your groceries of Bugg & Loyd.

W. E. Cox and wife went to Salem Sunday to see his sister, who was dangerously ill.

Mrs. John Smith has been quite sick for several days.

Now is the time to get a Mackintosh and overshoes, before the bad weather sets in, we can save you money.

Bugg & Loyd.

We have everything in latest style dress goods.

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W. E. Cox and wife went to Salem Sunday to see his sister, who was dangerously ill.

We want all your produce, will pay highest market prices.

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We have a few dozen pairs men's and ladies shoes which we are closing out at cost. Don't miss a bargain.

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# The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

## LOCAL BREVIETIES.

J. W. Blue Jr., was in Princeton Tuesday.

Sam Gugenheim was in Henderson Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Noe is visiting relatives in Princeton.

Mr. J. J. Tyner, of Lola, was in town Tuesday.

Dr. T. A. Frazier, of Blackford, was in town Tuesday.

Remember Eli Perkins at the opera house next Wednesday night.

**Od Hickory** for sale by the quart at the Distillery at Marion.

Rev. B. F. McLean and wife are attending the Synod at Hopkinsville.

Mr. J. Monroe Walker and family spent Saturday with friends in Bell's Mine.

Mr. R. F. Dorr and wife of Prince ton were guests of friends in Marion Monday.

The Clinton-Dykes Hardware Company of Kuttawa made an assign ment last week.

Mrs. Chris. Allen, T. J. Wilson, and T. T. Murphy are attending the Synod at Hopkinsville.

A son of Mr. Tackwell, near Deer Creek, died Saturday, and was buried at Deer Creek Sunday.

The many friends of Rev. T. C. Carter will be glad to learn that that gentleman's health is improving.

James Pickens has a fine girl baby at his house, and accounted the hap piest man in his neighborhood this week.

The best 175 test coal oil 15 cents per gallon at W. H. Towry's, Shady Grove.

Mr. John Jacobs, of Cave in Rock Hills, was in town Monday. He wants to purchase or rent a farm in this county.

Mr. T. B. Hubbard of Water Valley, has been visiting friends in this country. He moved from this county thirteen years ago.

Messrs. J. R. and Henry Kates, of Bellville Bend, were in town Tues day. Henry came to make arrangements to attend school here.

Small pill, safe pill, safe pill, best pill. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure biliousness, constipation, sick headache. At R. F. Hayes.

Mr. Jake Springs, a well known citizen of this county, died at his home in the Hebrew neighborhood Sunday of typhoid fever. He leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. Manuel Conger, who for six years has been living in Missouri and Indian Territory, returned Monday, and will make his home in Crittenden county.

Mr. Moses Jameson, of Living ton town, was in town Tuesday en route to Hopkinsville. He is a de late to the Cumberland Presbytery, which convenes in that city the present week.

The entertainment given by the pupils of the Seventh grade of the school Friday night was largely attended, and the admirable work of Miss Swartz was highly appreciated by the large audience. Miss Swartz is cer tainly an artist in her work.

Messrs. Vernon Matlock, J. W. Eberle, Jack Stephens of Salem and Mr. Forest Hardy of Hampton, com posed a party that went to Nashville Tuesday. As the exposition closes Saturday, the boys will bring it home with them, if they can make satisfactory arrangements.

It is not often that Marion people have an opportunity to hear a man of national reputation, and they can not afford to miss hearing Eli Perkins next Wednesday night. His name is a household word all over the coun try, and wherever he goes the public shows an appreciation of him. He always has large crowds.

One night last week an owl killed one of Mrs. Russell's fine pullets, and partially ate it. She placed some strichine in the remainder of the fowl and next night his owlship came back for another meal. He got it, flew fifty yards and dropped dead. He was very large, measuring some four feet from tip to tip, and had tremendous claws. Mrs. R. was quite proud of her capture.

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## Local News

Don't pass us on boots and shoes.

Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

We have the best Shoes.

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We have the Cheapest line of Caps in the county at

Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Our Shoes wear longer and cost less.

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Suits for Men and Boys at

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Overcoats and Suits at old prices at

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Trade with us and save lots of money.

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We have all kinds of Dress Goods.

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Don't trade until you get our prices.

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**NOTICE.**

We want your turkeys. Will pay you 6 cents for turkeys weighing 8 pounds and over. Deliver to us 5th, 6th and 8th of November.

C. F. Jean Produce Co.

Disfigurement for life by burns or scalds may be avoided by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great remedy for piles and for all kinds of sore and skin trouble. At Hayes'.

Mr. Al. Woods come home from Owensboro last week.

Fresh oysters served in any style at all times at A. J. Butler's.

Possums are now ripe and hunting parties are numerous.

Mr. Mahlon Lowry, of Caldwell county, was in town Monday.

Quarterly court convened Monday with a good crowd in attendance.

Dr. Dallas LaRue, of New Burn sides, Ill., passed through town Saturday.

Last week the farmers were exceedingly busy sowing wheat. Many acres were sown.

Mr. Crawford Bell died at his home four miles west of Marion Thursday, after several weeks' illness, of typhoid fever.

If you want new, nice, clean groceries cheap go to

W. H. Towery, Shady Grove.

Mr. Queremos, an old man of the western portion of the county, died Saturday and the interment was at Hopewell Sunday.

"Old Ike" died Sunday, after wrestling with the world thirty six years. "Old Ike" was a mule that served the Grissom family all the days of his life.

I do first class repair work on wa ches, clocks and jewelry. All work entrusted to me is never returned bot ched. Big watch sign, opposite theourt house.

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Mr. R. J. Utley, of Salem, was in town yesterday.

Mr. David Cobb, of Lyon county, was in town Tuesday.

Fresh, clean celery at A. J. Butler's; next door to post office.

A little child of A. J. Chittenden was sick of typhoid fever.

For all kinds of nice, fresh, can dies go to A. J. Butler's.

Rev. J. L. L. Pond will preach at Pleasant Grove next Sunday.

Judge A. M. Hearin and wife are visiting friends in Madisonville.

Mr. James Giles, of Calais is visiting his old friends in this county.

T. T. White has opened up a butcher shop in the red, red front building.

Mr. L. H. James returned Tues day from a visit to the Nashville Ex position.

Messrs. Bud Clement and Dorsey Ellis, of Livingston county, were in town yesterday.

Mr. C. B. Tate, of Evansville, was here yesterday, representing the Courier of that city.

Mr. J. L. Stewart returned from Nashville Monday. He had been visiting the exposition.

Mr. J. C. Bourland returned from Carterville, Ills., yesterday, where he has been for a month.

Rev. U. S. G. Moore was authorized by the county court to solemnize the rites of matrimony.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Walker went to Elizabethtown, Ills., Tuesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Ledbetter.

Master James Copeland, of Carterville, Ills., is the guest of his cousin, Master George Orme, of this place.

Mr. S. Morris and wife, of Lola, passed through town yesterday en route Florida. They will spend a few days in Nashville.

Mrs. Charlie Farris, of Memphis Tenn., was in town yesterday en route to Salem, where she will spend a few days with friends.

Another Damage Suit.

Mr. B. Gregory, husband of Mrs. Martha Gregory, who filed suit against Mr. George Foster last week, has also filed suit for \$1,000 damages against Mr. Foster, on account of the loss of her society and aid and assistance" and because of the great grief, vexation and anguish of mind" and "loss in money paid for medicine, doctor bills, etc." The plaintiff in the petition asked the court for damage in the sum of one thousand dollars.

A moderate profit is all I ask; you can buy watches, clocks and jewelry from me with the assurance of always getting the best goods for the least money. Big watch sign, opposite court house.

Levi Cook.

Now is the time to buy your jew elry. A new stock just received and will be sold at prices that defy competition. Everything bought of me is warranted. Come and examine my stock and bring your watch and jewelry to me for repairing.

Levi Cook.

Mrs. Tressia Price, mother of Rev. J. F. Price, suffered a severe paralytic stroke a few days ago; one side of her body was completely paralyzed for several hours, and it was feared that the result would be fatal, but happily she is recovering.

Mr. J. M. Freeman has rented the Crider House, and will be ready for business in a few days. The house has been remodeled from cellar to garret, and it looks like a new house. It is newly furnished throughout in the best of style. Mr. Freeman will have a first class house and will make a popular landlord.

Marriage License.

Oct. 20—Augustus W. Sanderson and Mrs. Matilda McCloud.

Oct. 22—James M. Hubbard and Mrs. Lizzie Uley.

Oct. 23—Samuel Leneau and Miss Rosie B. Porter.

Oct. 24—C. O. Heath and Miss Alberta Jackson.

Arm Broken.

On Saturday afternoon last Mrs. Carrie Thurman, wife of Mr. Sam Thurman, fell from a buggy stand ing in the yard and broke her arm, just above the elbow. The broken limb was set by Drs. J. W. Crawford and J. J. Clark, and the patient is getting along all right.

Level Arrested.

James Level, the colored boy accused of hitting young Perry with a brickbat, was arrested near Princeton Monday and brought to Marion. He waived an examination and went to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of George W. Foley, deceased, are hereby notified to come forward and settle, to save trouble and cost.

Jno. T. Foley, Adm'r.

TAKE NOTICE.

MARION, Ky., Oct. 1897.

That on and until the 8th day of Nov., 1897, we will receive sealed bids for the keeping of Paupers at the Poor House for the year 1898. Farm to be free. All bidders will give names of sureties with bids.

J. A. Moore, Co. Judge.

J. B. Kevil, Co. Atty.

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NOTICE.

You can't afford to risk your life by allowing a cold to develop into pneumonia or consumption. Instant relief and a certain cure are afforded by One Minute Cough Cure. At R. F. Hayes drug store.

A CARD.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of magistrate in Hurricane precinct. I will greatly appreciate the vote and influence of every voter in the precinct. If I should be elected it would be my utmost endeavor to make you a good and faithful officer.

P. C. Moore.

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MAN KILLED.

Doge Shoots and Kills Griffin Near Blackford.

Sunday afternoon in Webster coun ty, one mile north of Blackford, D. D. Doge shot and killed Jas Griffin. The particulars as we get them from a man who witnessed the affair are in substance as follows:

Griffin was on the railroad with a half gallon jug in his hand. A pi lot shot was heard and Doge was seen approaching Griffin, carrying a gun. When within a short distance of Griffin, Doge fired his gun, and as he approached he commanded Griffin to throw up his hands; the latter did so, and while standing holding up his hands Doge approached to within forty feet of him, raised his gun and deliberately fired again, Griffin then walked a few feet from where he was standing and lay down. His friends carried him to his home near by, and in about two hours he died. He was shot in the breast and face. Doge surrendered to officer Crowell of Blackford and was taken to Dixon and lodged in jail.

Doge's two sons boarded with Griffin and they and their father had been engaged in a lawsuit Saturday. Saturday Doge went to Griffin's house and dared him to come out, telling him that if he would come out he would kill him. Griffin's boarding the two boys seemed to so antagonize Doge, and his deed, it is thought grew out of this.

Buckner and Baker.

Gen. S. B. Buckner and Judge Baker addressed the people at this place Monday in behalf of the gold standard. It was the first day of quarterly court and at the beginning of his speech Gen. Buckner had a good crowd, but as the speaking progressed the crowd diminished, and when Judge Baker concluded there was out a small crowd. They presented the stock arguments of the gold standardites, such as the "intrinsic" value, the Mexican dollar and "fifty cent" dollars, etc. There was nothing new in either of their speeches, and neither of the gentlemen made a forceful speech. They called forth very little applause.

I am truly,

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Liver Ills.

To those living

in malarial districts Tutt's Pills are indispensable, they keep the system in perfect order and are

**an absolute cure**  
for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.

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of the Mother shapes the course of unborn generations—goes sounding through all the ages and enters the confines of Eternity. With what care, therefore, should the Expectant Mother be guarded, and how great the effort to be ward off danger and make her life joyous and happy.

## MOTHER'S FRIEND

allays all Nervousness, relieves the Headache Cramps, and Nausea, and so fully prepares the system that Childbirth is made easy and the time of recovery shortened—many say "stronger after than before confinement." It insures safety to life of both mother and child. All who have used "Mother's Friend" say they will never be without it again. No other remedy robs confinement of its pain.

A customer whose wife used "Mother's Friend," says that if she had to go through the ordeal again, and there were but two bottles to be obtained, she would stand by it. "Geo. Layton, Dayton, Ohio

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## Practical Jeweler,

LEVI COOK.

Has opened a Jeweler Shop in M. L. Barnes' millinery store, next door to Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Co. Repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry of all kinds done.

Mr. Cook has had three years experience; he has a fine set of tools and guarantees all work.

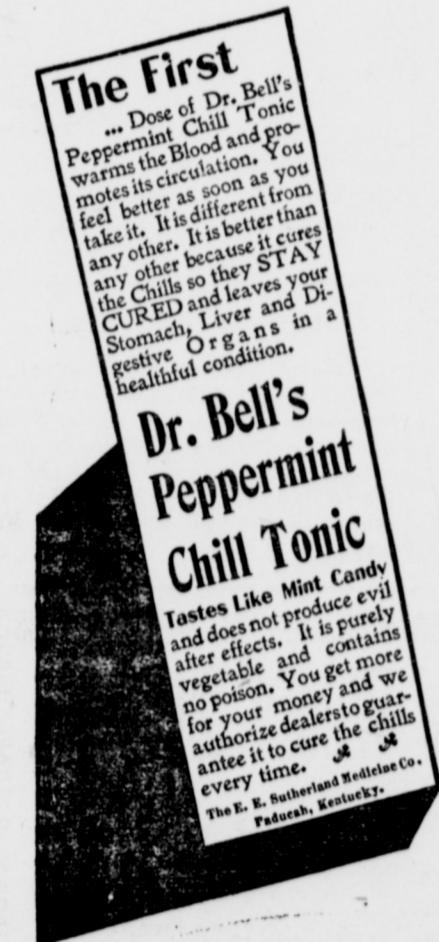
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## It May Save Your Life.

A dose, or two, of Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent an attack of pneumonia, grip or severe cold if taken in time. Cures coughs, colds, Grippe, hoarseness, difficult breathing, whooping cough, incipient consumption, asthma, or bronchitis. Guaranteed.



ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply in the morning. It quickly absorbs, so costs no dressings or extra trouble. ELY BROTHERS, 66 Warren St., New York City.

**GREAT CURES** prove the great merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because it accomplishes **GREAT CURES**.

## In Memory.

Mrs. Sarah L. Farmer, wife of Mr. Henry C. Farmer, died at their home four miles west of Marion Oct. 6th, at 2:30 o'clock a.m., aged 50 years, 1 month and 2 days. She professed faith in Christ in her 14th year, and united with the Cumberland Presbyterian church with which she remained until about twelve years ago, when with her husband she joined Union Baptist church, where she remained a consistent member until her death.

She was a woman of strong, active powers of mind, refinement and a high type of Christian character. She died in her family with great dignity and extended a sweet and holy influence over her entire household. She was indeed a model wife and mother, breathing out a heavenly benediction on all about her. As a Christian she was a woman of exalted worth, adorn her profession in every walk of life.

But all these ties are now broken. The noble form is brought low. The warm heart throbbing with holy aspirations, to cheer loved ones is cold in the tomb. Sister Farmer possessed a native goodness of heart, amiability of disposition, and a pleasantness of demeanor which have left their impress upon her children, so that their social and religious virtues rise to call her blessed.

May the sweet fragrance of her meet and quiet life be a holy inspiration to her husband and children, in citing them to a greater love for the Master's service.

The funeral services were conducted at the old homestead by Elder J. J. Franks, to a large crowd of weeping relatives and friends, after which she was borne to the family graveyard, close by, and there laid to rest until the coming of the Lord.

May the sorrowing husband, children and relatives be comforted with the cheering hope of reunion beyond this world of sighs and tears.

Her Pastor

## In Memory

Susie McConnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hodge McConnell, departed this life October 4, 1897 aged 8 years two months and twenty seven days, was laid to rest in the Shady Grove cemetery, Oct. 5.

To know little Susie was to love her. Her sweet, kind disposition made her a general favorite.

We sympathize with the bereaved family and know they feel lonely without her, but would say, weep not for Susie is now an angel waiting to meet you where parting is no more.

A precious one from us is gone, A voice we love is still, A vacant place is in our home That never can be filled.

A little time on earth she spent Till God for her his angel sent, And then on time he closed her eyes To wake in glory in the skies.

A Friend.

Foster's Famous Songs,

"Old Folks at Home," also known as "Suwanee River" was, to say the least, the most popular song ever known in America. Foster was once passing through Kentucky on a stagecoach and while at a wayside inn, waiting for the negroes to change the horses, Foster heard one of them say:

"I wish I was back with the old folks at home."

"Where was that?" asked the other one.

"Way down upon the Suwanee river."

The novelty of the expression caught the quick ear of the poet. A chord was touched in the human heart. The song was instantaneous success.

"Old Kentucky Home," one writer says, was suggested by an allusion that Foster heard a slave make to his former home in the bluegrass State.

Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground was considered by Foster to be the best of all his compositions. He got the idea from a slave at Covington, Ky., whom he heard bewailing the fact that his good old master was dead, and that he, old and worn out, would now pass into the hands of less kindly owners.

"O, Boy, Carry Me Along," was one of Foster's songs, written in 1851, and which immediately became very popular.

"Old Dog Tray," in its time was very popular. It was written in the back room of a grocery store in New York city, told by Foster to a friend of publishers that made a fortune of it.

At the grave of Foster, January 13, 1861, a choir of melodious voices sang his beautiful serenade, "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming."

Working Woman's Home Association.

21 Peoria St., Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11, 1896.

Our Working Women's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tar six years ago and are using it today. We have been a healthy, fit, well-known and highly prized Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, so that their potency is materially increased.

What Will It Do?

It will arrest loss of flesh and restore to a normal condition the infant, the child and the adult. It will enrich the blood of the anemic; will stop the cough, heal the irritation of the throat and lungs, and cure incipient consumption. We make this statement because the experience of twenty-five years has proven it in tens of thousands of cases.

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